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MONTANA PUBLIC
SCHOOLS LIST
115 VACANCIES

MISSOULA--

A total of 115 vacancies in the public schools of Montana have been listed at the University of Montana Graduate Placement Center during the past 30 days, according to Charles E. Hood, director of placement.

The greatest number of openings were in the following areas--elementary (21), music (15), mathematics (11), superintendent or principal (10).

"Still available for school positions are 120 candidates who are active registrants at the Graduate Placement Center," said Hood. "Some of these candidates, however, are limited to certain locations--such as Missoula."

Fields in which the greatest number of candidates are still available include: elementary (21), science (15), English (12), and social studies (19). Sixty per cent of these candidates are new teachers with no experience who completed requirements for a degree and certification in 1970.

Although records are incomplete, 290 candidates have reported that they have accepted new positions in schools so far, Hood said.

When all the information is complete it is expected that the number of teacher placements will be about 10 per cent less than last year, and the number of active registrants for teacher placement will be about 10 per cent greater than last year.

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